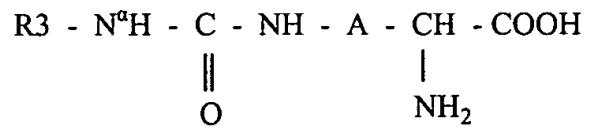


APPENDIX 1

7. $N^{\omega}\text{-Carboxyalkylcarbamoyl-}\alpha,\omega\text{-diamino acids of general formula}$



in which A represents a bivalent group consisting of a linear carbon chain formed from 4 to 8 carbon atoms, which chain is optionally substituted by one or a number of groups chosen from C_1 - C_3 alkyl groups and functional groups comprising at least one oxygen or sulphur atom and in which $R_3\text{-}N^{\alpha}H$ represents an α -amino acid [or a peptide comprising the α -amino acid] and N^{α} is a nitrogen atom attached to the α -carbon of the α -amino acid.